

Remember Her With An Easter Gift from WHITMAN'S

EVENING IN PARIS SETS AND
COMPACTS
PERFUMES, BATH POWDER AND
TOILET WATER

By Coty, April Showers, Evening
in Paris, Jet, Blue Orchid,
Apple Blossom, Tulip Time,
Yankee Clover, Toujour Moi,
and L'Orlette.

EASTER BASKETS FOR THE
KIDDIES, 25c to \$1.00
SERVICEABLE GIFTS FOR THE
MAN IN SERVICE

Whitman Drug Co.

Phone 130 Elba, Alabama

Cattle and Hog Prices Are Still High In Elba

Livestock price records continue to be broken
at the Elba Livestock Auction Sale.
Farmers were paid last Monday for 1/2 to
one cent above other Southern markets for cattle
and hogs.

No. 1 Hogs	\$14.55
No. 2 Hogs	14.20
No. 3 Hogs	13.70
Heavy Hough Hogs	13.85

Feeder pigs and shoats brought up to 16
cents per pound.

Good Calves sold as high as \$17.25 per 100.
Bull Calves sold up to 15.00 per 100.
Cows sold up to 11.40 per 100.
Milch Cows sold up to \$90.00 per head.

Stockers, Feeders and Fat Cattle also went at
premium prices.
A good sale was held Monday, and remember
we will have a sale every Monday. Tell your
friends about the ELBA MARKET. We received
55 points above the Montgomery market on hogs
Monday. Our commission charge on market hogs
is only 2 per cent. You can see it will pay you to
sell at home and save gas and tires.

Elba Livestock Market

ELBA, ALABAMA

New Store Open

We have just opened in the corner
store of our same location, with a new
stock of

Ladies and Childrens Dresses
Hosiery, Underwear, Hats
And Piece Goods

It will pay you to buy your EASTER
OUTFIT here, as we have the latest
styles and creations.

Your patronage will be appreciated.

Arenson Brothers

ELBA, ALABAMA

COFFEE BOYS ENJOY MICHIGAN ARMY LIFE

Battle Creek, Mich.,
April 3, 1943.

Dear Editor:
Just a few words to say
hello and to tell you all that
we still think of our good
dear friends back home, es-
pecially our mothers, fathers,
brothers, sisters and our
good Christian friends who
think of you lots and wish
we were there with you all,
for we have to work seven
days a week and we sure
would like for you to re-
member us in your prayers.

We have been together
for nearly ever since we left
home. We took our basic
training together at Camp
Greene, Ill., and we were
sent from there to Battle
Creek, Mich., and we were
parted there and one of us
was sent to Percy Jones
General Hospital and one
was sent to Fort Custer,
Mich. But we have been to-
gether so far. We were only
six miles apart, but we think
we will have to part again,
for Pfc. James C. Wambles
is going to be shipped out
and where he will go we do
not know. We don't know
whether we will ever be to-
gether again or not, but we
hope we will, for we really
have enjoyed being together
tonight, and we had a
farewell supper for James,
but we hope this won't be
our last.

Pvt. Wilmer S. McCol-
lough is expecting to be
shipped any time. When we
were civilians we knew each
other well. We were very
good friends back home be-
fore we were drafted and
we wish we could go all the
way through together.

Some people say the army
is bad, but it hasn't been so
bad to us, for we have tried
to do our duty and we ex-
pect to right on. But some
soldiers make the army hard
on themselves for they won't
obey orders, but we have
been in nearly nine months
and we still like it fine and
we will sign off by saying,
buy all the war
bonds and stamps you can
and we will do our best to
keep them flying.

Pfc. Jas. C. Wambles and
Wife, Percy Jones Hospi-
tal, Battle Creek, Mich.
Pvt. Wilmer S. McCol-
lough, Wife and Baby.
U. S. Army Dispensary,
33 1/2 S.W. Capital Ave.,
Battle Creek, Mich.

STORES TO CLOSE
We agree to close our
places of business on each
Thursday afternoon, begin-
ning on April 22nd, until
August 19th, 1943.

City Cash Grocery
W. L. English & Son
Ben's Place
Elba Cut Rate
Vaughan & Co.
S. T. Morrow

Mrs. Edlo Kilcrease, of
Pine Level, spent last week
with her aunt, Mrs. Ada
King, who has been real
sick.

Lester Brunson, student
at the University of Ala-
bama, spent several days here
last week, guest of his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M.
Brunson.

Mrs. William Bullard,
Mrs. W. R. Crook, Mrs. Mo-
ley Boutwell, Lamar Bullard
and John Reel Crook were
Montgomery visitors last
Thursday.

T. D. Kendrick has recov-
ered from an attack of flu
and has resumed his duties
as auditor with State Selec-
tive Service Board at pres-
ent stationed at Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vaughn
and little son, of Shawmut,
visited relatives in Elba the
past week-end. Mr. Vaughn
is serving as sanitary officer
for Chambers County.

Food production in 1942
was more than 25 per cent
higher than the 1933-39 av-
erage in the United States.

THE ELBA CLIPPER

THE ELBA THEATRE

WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—LAST DAY

"EAGLE SQUADRON"

—Starring—
Robert Stack and
Diana Barrymore
also Latest War News

FRIDAY—Double Feature

"TUTTLES OF TAHITI"

Charles Laughton
also Western and Serial
Admission 10c and 25c

SATURDAY ALL DAY

"BELLS OF CAPISTRANO"

—Starring—
Lynne Roberts, Carol Naug
Come Early
Admission 10c and 25c

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

"LUCKY LEGS"

Jinx Falkenberg
Admission 10c and 25c

TUESDAY Only—Bargain Day

"NORTH OF THE KLONDIKE"

By Jack London
Brood Crawford, Andy Devine
All Seats 11c

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

"CAPTAIN OF THE CLOUDS"

—Featuring—
James Cagney

Buy War Bonds

Every Pay Day

Let's Double Our Quota

MISS TOTSIE HARPER

GAINS HIGH HONOR

Friends of Miss Totsie
Harper, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Emmett Harper,
former Elba residents, will
be interested in the fol-
lowing announcement which
appeared in the March 26
issue of "General-Speak-
ing," publication of General
Fire Company of Akron,
Ohio. The paper also car-
ried a splendid picture of
Miss Harper. Here is what
it says:

"Laurels were piled high
upon the head of Miss Totsie
Louise Harper last month,
when she was selected
as one of six out of a
class of 107, to become an
Engineering Cadet of the
Curtiss-Wright Corporation.
As an Engineering Cadet,
Miss Harper has left for
Purdue University as a
special student, where she
will receive an engineering
training for a year, and then
go into technical work of
the Curtiss-Wright Corpora-
tion as a specialist to replace
men in the service.

"Daughter of Emmett
Bell Harper, president of
General Local Union No. 9,
Miss Harper has brought honor
to her family before. In high
school she was elected to
National Honor Society, and
won several individual hon-
ors in mathematics. Now
in her sophomore year at
Akron University, Miss Har-
per was one of six out of 107
taking the examinations,
who were selected for the
engineering course.

"While going to school,
with all expenses paid, Miss
Harper will earn \$10 per
week, following which she
will be hired in the com-
pany's laboratory at Colum-
bus at full salary normally
paid to male technicians.

"Eight hundred girls from
coast to coast have been
selected for this instruction
and work. Miss Harper is
in the initial group which
sets the pattern for classes
to follow."

A carload of dehydrated
onions shipped from Cali-
fornia to New York will save
54,000 car miles that would
otherwise be necessary in
handling the useless water
in fresh onions.

Classified Advertising

If you want to buy, sell,
swap, rent or locate lost
property, try an adv. in this
column.

LOST—On streets Satur-
day, white and black, ladies-
size Sheaffer's Fountain Pen.
Finder please call Mrs. Lou-
ise Thomas, at No. 114.

NEED SHOES—I'm back
in Elba now and ready to
take your order for shoes.
Will appreciate your patron-
age. I. N. Heath, Elba.

FOR SALE—\$280.00
Credit Memo, on new Chev-
rolet Car or Truck; good as
cash on straight purchase.
For further information call
at Elba office. a15-22pd

LOST HOGS—One black
Poland-China Sow, one red
Sow with black spots; both
marked with swallow fork
in each ear. If you have seen
these hogs please notify
Mrs. Mattie Spurlin, Elba,
Ala. a15-22

FEED YOUR STOCK—
Don't feed worms. "Sure
Cure" kills all worms and
heals inflammation in stock;
cures running fits, prevents
cholera. Price 50c delivered
in U. S. Put up with a money
back guarantee by G. W.
Blackmon, Box 37, Elba,
Ala. a15-m6

STRAY HEN—Bantam
hen has been in pen at my
home for several weeks; if
owner so desires, please call
for her; I'm tired of buying
feed, and do not wish to
turn her out to destroy more
flowers in the yard. Hen
will be disposed of if owner
does not call soon. R. C.
Bryan.

FOY MACE REEVES
CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Foy Mace Reeves enter-
tained at an afternoon party
on Saturday, April 10, at the
home of his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reeves,
the event celebrating his
12th birthday.

The decorations were of
spring flowers and Easter
trinkets. Games were played
and directed by Misses
Lorene Reeves and Eva Mae
Cox. Afterward refresh-
ments were served to the
following guests:

Mildred, Annie Rue and
Wanda Seymore, John Will
Cox, Buddy and Martha
Ann Calhoun, Joe Lynn and
Roy Glen Maddox, Betty
Lou and Opal Seely, Betty
Ann Watkins, Barbara Ann
and Royce Gene Plant and
Evelyn Rainey.

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ELBA STUDENTS ON JUDSON HONOR ROLL

Marion, Ala., April 19—
Fourth quarterly honors this
week at Judson College go
to two Elba girls, Catherine
and Jeanne Brunson, who
were named to the College
honor roll of the fourth quar-
ter of the year's work. Mem-
bership on the Judson honor
roll entitles the students to
special social and curricu-
lar privileges.

Mrs. Carl Russell (Rob-
bie Borders) has gone to
Fort Jackson, S. C., for a
visit with her husband who
has an army assignment at
that camp.

The meeting was turned
over to Miss Mathews, who
made an interesting talk
which was important to ev-
ery club girl. Meeting was
then adjourned.

Sue Ellen Smith, Rep'r.
Go to Church Sunday!

NEW HOPE 4-H CLUB

The New Hope Senior
4-H Club met April 14. The
meeting was called to order
by the president, Dora Pow-
ell. It was opened with a
song, led by the song leader,
Ouida Daughtry. The min-
utes of the last meeting were
read by the secretary, Annie
Ruth Wilkins, and approv-
ed.

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Be the Loveliest Lady in the Easter Parade

Bright
RAYONS
1943's Newest Styles

\$5.95

Pretty Floral Prints
Navy, Black, Pastels

Frocks to make you
look your prettiest! In
sizes 9 to 17 for every
age.

Others
\$3.95 \$4.95
\$7.95

Exciting New
EASTER HATS
Gay Flatterers!

\$2.95

Pert dressy types with
flattering veils, flowers,
ribbons, etc.

Gardenia
Boutonnieres
Look Like Real!

29 cents

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SECOND WAR LOAN

Drive Closes Friday;

Sales Lagging Here

Tomorrow, Friday, April
30, is the last day for the
purchase of War Bonds during
the 2nd War Loan campaign
which has been in progress
since April 12.

Sales in Elba and in this
area are far short of the
goal, according to Dozier
Roberts, chairman of the
campaign. In fact, \$35,000
are needed to reach the quo-
ta and these sales must be
made before Friday night.
Reports must be in the mails
before midnight Friday.

If you are a regular buy-
er, the committee urges you
to buy an extra bond before
this campaign closes, and if
you have been putting the
matter off, come in today or
Friday and make your pur-
chase. We must not fail our
boys who are giving their
lives.

Two bombers will be
named for Coffee County, if
our sales go over \$400,000
during this drive. In the
Elba schools a "Jeep" cam-
paign has been on, and re-
ports show that enough
stamps and bonds have al-
ready been sold to pay for
one Jeep. It is planned to
sell enough for another Jeep
before the school term ends.

Small bond purchases
count in this campaign as
well as large ones, and you,
Mr. and Mrs. Citizens, are
urged to put every dollar
you can into this drive. Our
boys GIVE their lives...
you should LEND your mon-
ey.

Mrs. W. H. Bishop and
daughter, Mrs. Thelma
Hicks, of Washington, D. C.,
have been spending several
days in Elba with Mr. and
Mrs. W. O. Vaughn and
other relatives.

There will be preaching
at Shady Grove Church the
first Sunday evening in May
at 7:30 o'clock by Elder
Jim Richards. Everyone is
cordially invited to come.
T. F. Sanders.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

CHILLS! THRILLS! LAUGHS!
"THE VAMPIRE"
Thursday Evening, April 29
8 O'CLOCK, HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

You'll laugh a kick in your spine at the crazy antics of
the Elba Boys and shriek in terror when the VAMPIRE
prowls at midnight.

WARNING—If your heart is weak, sit at home by the
fire, but don't miss seeing the "VAMPIRE".

Horrible! Bloodcurdling!
Children 10c. Adults 20c
(Proceeds will go to the Elba City Library)

No. 1 Spanish and Runner
SEED PEANUTS

Ready for delivery at English Feed Mill in West
Elba and at Whitman Gin Company on Elba-Sam-
son highway. Get yours now.

Both of our peanut shellers will be in operation this
season and prices will be the same as last year.

Spanish Peanuts will be shelled only on Thurs-
day, at both of our shelling plants.

Whitman Gin Company
Flournoy Whitman, Prop. Elba, Alabama

Keep 'Em Running Better!

Your car will look much better if you keep it
washed and polished regularly. Then it will run
much better if you have it properly lubricated and
use KOOLMOTOR gasoline and oil.

ELBA OIL COMPANY
F. F. CLARK, Mgr. - PHONE 33. - ELBA, ALA.

ELBA FLYER HAS BEEN AWARDED AIR MEDAL

Award of an air medal to
First Lieutenant Ben B.
Mathis, son of Mr. and Mrs.
P. G. Mathis, of Elba, was
announced last week by the
War Department. The an-
nouncement stated that the
medal was awarded for an-
ti-submarine patrol flights
over the Atlantic.

Ben was promoted to the
rank of Captain several
weeks ago, however the ci-
tation was made before he
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WINS PROMOTION
Cpl. Elton Walker, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Jake Walker,
of Elba, R. I., has been pro-
moted to the rank of Ser-
geant, according to a letter
received by his parents this
week. He has also been
transferred to Hq. Btry. of
the 93rd F. A. Bn. He was
a member of Elba's Battery
D, 17th Field Artillery,
and since being mustered
into service has served in
Florida and Oklahoma. His
friends will be glad to learn
of his promotion.

DUBOSE - BATCHELOR
Dewie J. Dubose and Miss
Inez Batchelor, both of El-
ba, were married last Sat-
urday at the home of the
bride's mother, Mrs. Eugene
Batchelor. Justice R. R.
Bordens performed the cer-
emony.

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Coffee Boy Held In German Prison Writes Parents Here

Raymond R. Thomas, son
of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Thom-
as, Elba, Route 3, is being
held prisoner in a camp
somewhere in Germany, ac-
cording to a letter received
by his parents Monday.

Mr. Thomas received a
message from the War De-
partment about the middle
of March stating that his
son was missing in action in
North Africa. Young Thom-
as is supposed to have been
taken prisoner during the
first major encounter of
American and German
troops about the middle of
February.

In the letter Raymond
stated that he was being
treated well enough, and
there was no reason for his
family to worry. The letter
was written on paper pre-
pared for or by German au-
thority, directions for use
having been printed in Ger-
man and on the order of
American V-Mail paper.

The letter was censored by
both German and American
censors.

Thomas says he will be
allowed to write five or six
letters each month and asks
his family to send him some
small packages, especially
home-made candy. He fur-
ther stated that he will
be able to get aid through
the Red Cross, and Elba
Chapter officials are en-
deavoring to aid Mr. and
Mrs. Thomas in establishing
communication with their
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